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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 18, 1910.

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## Voters, Last Chance To Register Today, 6 a. m. to 9 p. m.

### TORNADO WRECKS PLANTATIONS AND DAMAGES FLORIDA

Waves Lash over Sea wall at St. Augustine and Flood Streets.

Much Havoc Wrought Down the Coast.

MANY LIVES REPORTED LOST.

St. Augustine, Fla., Oct. 18.—All last night the hurricane drove waves over the sea wall and today the lower part of the city is flooded. Heavy damage to property and shipping will result.

Three laborers are dead here and it is believed news from farther down the coast will tell of heavy loss of life in the construction camps of the East Coast railroad.

#### Damage in Cuba.

Havana, Oct. 18.—Wire communication with the interior is cut off and the situation outside this city is in doubt. The town of Batabano is said to be under water to a depth of many feet. A large number of lives have been lost there, according to reports. A report from Regla, across the harbor, says that many persons have been killed there.

It is rumored that a great number of sailors and longshoremen have been drowned in the harbor.

It is probable the most fatalities and the greater monetary damage has been done in Pinar del Rio where the destruction of Thursday and Friday has been added to greatly. The sugar crop is thought to have suffered severely.

The gale came from the southwest with a violence not experienced before in a long time. Rain fell in torrents throughout the night, but let up somewhat at daybreak though the wind held as strong as ever.

All traffic in this city and in the harbor were suspended. Scores of lighters and other small craft have been swamped or wrecked against the bulkheads. All vessels in the port are double anchored. The steamers are under full steam. The Ward line steamer Saratoga, which was due to sail on Saturday, remained at anchor.

#### Relief Trains Sent Out.

Miami, Fla., Oct. 18.—Weather bulletins were posted here this morning announcing the approach of a hurricane, and all vessels along the Atlantic coast have been warned to prepare for severe weather.

No trains have arrived here since Saturday over the Florida East Coast railroad, being held up at West Jupiter on account of a serious washout. Relief trains have been sent from Miami and Jacksonville.

#### Married at Metropolis

Metropolis, Ill., Oct. 18. (Special.)—Miss Beulah Lee Schaffer and William H. Hines, a farmer, residing near Paducah, were married today by Magistrate Thomas Liggett. The couple returned to Paducah on the steamer Cowling.

Courts Quarantined, of Metropolis, Ill., was arrested today near the city hall by Patrolman Rickman on complaint of Carrie Burcham, of Metropolis, who accuses him of taking \$85 from her.

#### Civil Service Examination.

An examination for first grade and third grade positions will be held at the postoffice in this city on February 4, 1911.

For application blanks, and for full information relative to the examinations, qualifications, duties, salaries, etc., address Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Postoffice, CKY.

#### TORREY SUBJECTS.

Tuesday Night—"The Most Important Question That Any Man Ever Asked and Answered."

Wednesday Night—"Who is Jesus?"

Thursday Night—"One of the Saddest Utterances That Ever Fell From the Lips of the Son of God."

Friday Night—"The Way of Life Made as Plain as Day."

### Grayson Constable Murdered by Unknown Assassin While Taking Prisoner to Henderson Co. Jail

Prisoner Escapes When Shot From Darkness Lays Low His Captor In Park—News From over Kentucky.

Henderson, Ky., Oct. 18. (Special.)—Constable Skaggs, of Grayson county, was murdered in the park surrounding the jail here last night by an unknown person while on his way to jail with Chester Fenters, arrested in Grayson county for stealing a horse and buggy. Fenters escaped after the shooting.

#### Mayfield Man Exalted.

Louisville, Oct. 18. (Special.)—At the meeting of the grand council of royal and select masters of Kentucky, John W. Landrum, of Mayfield, was elected thirteenth illustrious grand master.

In the report of the one hundred and tenth annual session of the grand lodge of Kentucky Masons, Grand Master Cowles showed a total membership of 36,000 with over 700 lodges. Financial conditions are better than ever before. He recommends that the lodge back the movement to establish a Masonic hospital in Louisville.

#### Editor Sues Police Chief.

Princeton, Ky., Oct. 18. (Special.)—Editor R. F. Dorr, of the Caldwell News, and the Hopkinsville Independent, and a hot prohibitionist, filed suit for \$5,000 damages against the bondsmen of Police Chief A. B. Hopper and Policeman Stall Hopper, charging false arrest and imprisonment.

#### Barnyard Romeo Co.

In a special train consisting of two baggage cars, two drawing room sleeping cars, one Pullman and a dining car, the "Barnyard Romeo Theatrical company" passed through Paducah at 2:15 o'clock. The special is en route from New Orleans to New York. The company is composed of 60 people and plays only the largest cities in the country.

#### Funeral of Urey Griffith.

The funeral of Urey Griffith, who committed suicide in Chicago, was held this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Langston, 1814 Harrison street. The Rev. G. W. Banks, pastor of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church, officiated. The burial took place in Oak Grove cemetery. The pallbearers were: Henry Rottgering, Leo Post, Henry Pieper, Henry Cummins, Hollie Cud and H. L. Wallace. The body arrived this morning at 7:25 o'clock and was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Isabelle Rorie.

### TRAIN SERVICE IS STARTED ON THE H. S.

Metropolis, Ill., Oct. 18.—Temporary train schedules on the Herrin Southern provide for a train to leave Herrin at 6:21 a. m. arriving at 10:45, and leaving at 12:05 p. m. Work on the new station will commence the first of the week. R. M. Hendrickson is the new depot agent. Twelve stations are located on the Harris Southern: Metropolis, Junction, Mermet, Ridenhour, C. E. & L. Junction, West Vienna, Buncome, Omar, Goreville, Hodgen Junction, Washburne and Herrin.

### Boilermakers Busy With Annual Session

The second day of the meeting of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers of America was held today at the Central Labor hall. The reports were read, but little was done of general interest to the public. The election of officers will not be held until the last of the week. Those present are: Anthony Seng, of Chicago, president; B. C. Beadles, of Paducah, vice president; R. J. Curran, of Chicago, secretary-treasurer; A. Smith, of McComb, Miss., recording secretary; R. J. Powers, of Chicago, assistant secretary; George A. Shank, of Clinton, Ill.; H. H. Elcher, of Waterloo, Ia.; J. E. Nichols, of Jackson, Tenn.; J. S. Grosshart, of Paducah; J. E. Meyers, of Mattoon, Ill.; E. L. Meyers, of Freeport, Ill.; S. T. O'Brien, of Chicago; G. E. Ballowe, of Paducah; J. W. Webb, of Paducah; F. J. Ross, of Waterloo; O. F. Burr, of Clinton, Ill.; E. F. Carleson, of Memphis; W. L. Henry, of Water Valley, Miss.; Thomas Mitchell, of Louisville; J. A. Lynch, of Chicago; W. M. Robertson, of McComb, Miss.; James O'Connor, of East St. Louis; W. J. Gillen, of East St. Louis.

### THE WEATHER

The predictions and temperature for the past twenty-four hours will be found at the top of the seventh column on page four.

#### THE UNVEILING.

The unveiling of the wooden statue of Henry Clay, the great Kentuckian, has been postponed from October 20, because of the ill-health of Judge E. W. Bagley, president of the library board. The statue will be placed in the public library. A program has been arranged for the unveiling. The statue is still in the care of Dr. D. G. Marrell, who repaired and painted it.

### NARROW ESCAPE FROM CREMATION

MRS. BEN DEEVERS WAS ILL AND FIRE WAS DISCOVERED LATE.

Awakened by burning embers falling on his bed, Ben Deever, 306 Ashbrook avenue, and his wife had a narrow escape from cremation early this morning. Their home was nearly destroyed before they were aware of the danger, which was the greater, because Mrs. Deever had been ill for many weeks, and she was barely rescued in time.

Owing to the heavy fog this morning the fire was not discovered by passers-by. The roof was burned off and fell in on the bed before Deever himself awoke. He carried his wife out of the burning house, and then gave the alarm. By the time the No. 2 and 4 horse companies and the No. 4 truck company could reach the house it was almost completely destroyed. Deever has \$700 insurance, which will about cover his loss on the building and household goods.

The adjoining house of R. Treadway, 304 Ashbrook avenue, was damaged slightly by the fire.

#### Little Hope For Harold Leigh

Councilman Ollie Leigh received a message this afternoon that the condition of Harold Leigh, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Q. C. Leigh injured in an automobile accident, is unchanged. His condition is considered hopeless.

#### His Lantern Did Not Leak.

F. N. Berger, watchman at the Lack Singletree company, said: "My lantern was not leaking and did not cause the fire in the boiler room on Sunday morning as reported. I placed the lantern on a table, and it was not the cause of the fire."

#### Johnny Bell Arrested

Johnnie Bell, a woman of Caldwell street, was arrested at 8:30 o'clock last night by Patrolmen Shrader and Ogilvie on complaint of Timothy Griffith, who says she consorted with his son, containing \$24.80 while he was a caller at her home. He swore out a warrant, charging her with grand larceny and the trial was set for tomorrow morning in police court. She is being held in the county jail, having been unable to make bail.

### NOT GUILTY PLEA OF DR. CRIPPEN IN OLD BAILEY TODAY

Arraigned Before Judge Arraigned in His Gown and Periwig.

Black Cap Upon Bench By His Side.

CROWN PROMISES ITS PROOF.

London, Oct. 18.—"I am not guilty." Standing alone in the prisoner's dock, of old Bailey, facing the judge with cool assurance, Dr. H. H. Crippen today enforced a plea of not guilty to a charge of murdering his wife, Belle Elmore. The trial was opened immediately. The defense reserved only three challenges from the first panel. The king's counsel, R. D. Muir, opened the case for the crown. It is expected Crippen will know his fate in one week.

Lord Alton, chief justice of England, who is presiding, wore his gown and powdered wig, and at his side lay the terrible "black cap," which an English jurist must don before he can pronounce the death sentence. Crippen gazed nervously about the room. The prosecution said it would prove Crippen and Miss Leneve had been intriguing for three years to get rid of Mrs. Crippen.

#### Ethel Hollis Being Held.

Ethel Hollis, the girl found wandering on the streets last week, is being held at Riverside hospital pending an investigation of her mental condition. At intervals the girl appears irrational. Relatives in Memphis have wired a ticket for her transportation to her home, but it is not considered safe to send her to Memphis in her present condition.

#### DRUNKEN COLORED MAN STAGGERS INTO HOUSE

Staggering through the back door of the residence of Mrs. Florence McCurdy, who lay ill in her bed in the front room, Will Williams, a negro, who was drunk, created a panic about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Thompson and Mrs. Thomas Lutz, who were in the room, were frightened out and Mrs. McCurdy, although weak and exhausted, crept from her bed in fright to escape. He was fined \$100 in police court.

### FINES ARE PAID BY BAWDY HOUSES

LARGE FEES GO TO ATTORNEYS PROSECUTING THE CASES IN COURT.

As a result of the indictments returned by the grand jury last week, several fines have been paid by the defendants as agreed upon. Indictments against women for running bawdy houses have resulted in the following fines: Ella Howe, \$50; Jessie Leach, \$50; D. Blanchard, \$50; Ruth Burrows, \$50. George Brownell was fined \$92 for renting a house for a bawdy house. Seventy-five per cent of the fines go to the commonwealth's and county attorneys.

### Chicago Market.

	Dec.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	94 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	
Corn	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2	
Oats	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2	

#### Tobacco Coming In.

The Planters' Protective association has approximately 10,000 pounds on hand at the Third street warehouse. Tobacco has been coming in from points in the county for several days and also some from Marshall county. It will be prized and Mr. M. M. Tucker, who has charge of the pricing and storing of the 1910 crop predicts a lively movement from now on. The receipts will be larger in the next few weeks and the present amount in storage is the first of the pledged crop to be sold next year. The past year saw an unusual sale and indications point to a much larger business in 1911.

Mr. John W. Keller will leave tonight for the west on a trip.

### Wellman Fails in His Attempt to Cross Atlantic In His Balloon and is Picked Up by Passing Boat

Dirigible "America" is Abandoned Between Hatteras and Bermuda—International Cup Race Sighted.

New York, Oct. 18.—The first attempt to cross the Atlantic in a dirigible balloon came to grief early today. The America, with Walter Wellman and his crew, was sighted in distress due east of Cape Hatteras by the incoming Bermuda liner, "Trent." The Wellman party was rescued by the liner and the balloon was abandoned. This news came after a report from the steamer Mesaba that the dirigible had reached Sable Island.

Captain Downs, of the Trent, in his wireless gave no details as to where the balloon had been since Saturday. The party was taken aboard the steamer from the airship half way between Bermuda and Cape Hatteras.

#### Siasconset, Mass., Oct. 18.—The

Atlantic transport liner, Mesaba, reports her wireless operator this morning picked up a message sent from Walter Wellman's dirigible, America, through the steamer Olav, westward bound. The message placed the airship to the south of Sable Island. Only the end of the message was caught. While trying to pick up the Olav, the Mesaba passed beyond range.

#### St. Louis Balloon Lands.

Racine, Wis., Oct. 18.—The St. Louis balloon, Million Population Club, pilot Von Phool, landed in a cornfield six miles from here early today. The balloon lost most of its ballast when the drag broke and caught on a telegraph pole near Bernon, Ill. Von Phool was afraid to cross the lake without ballast, and descended.

#### The International Race.

West Bend, Wis., Oct. 18.—The German balloon, Dusseldorf, piloted by Hans Gerike, passed over here at 7:10 this morning.

#### Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 18.—Five

of the international racing balloons had passed over before 9 o'clock this morning. All were sailing slightly east of north and between a thousand and two thousand feet high. Three were identified as the Dusseldorf, Germania and the St. Louis IV. A fourth was believed to be Le Blanc's balloon.

#### Le Blanc Sighted.

Zion City, Ill., Oct. 18.—Alfred Le Blanc's balloon, Isle De France, passed over here at 6:30 this morning. A message dropped from the crew said: "All are well." The craft was sailing strongly for Canada.

#### BIDS FOR STREET WORK WILL BE RE-ADVERTISED

Bids for the grading and graveling of Fourteenth street from Burnett street to the Rieke farm, and Flournoy street between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, are being re-advertised by the board of public works and the contract will be let next Monday afternoon. Yesterday afternoon, the date set to open bids, there was only one bidder. He was Contractor W. L. Yancey, who withdrew his bid. The board will meet again tonight to transact routine business. The matter of repairing the walk at the end of Clark street leading to the Illinois Central shops, and also the matter of flushing Second street between Broadway and Kentucky avenue will come up for action.

### LARGER REWARD FOR MURDERER

COUNTY JUDGE ASKS GOVERNOR TO ADD \$500 TO THE AMOUNT.

#### County Judge Asks Governor

County Judge Alben W. Barkley has requested Governor Augustus E. Wilson in a letter to offer a reward of \$500 on behalf of the state for the arrest and conviction of the assassin of Frank McManus, who was shot at his doorstep. The city has offered a reward of \$500, and the brewery workers union will give \$150. With an increased reward it is expected that there would be some interesting developments.

### CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST TODAY AT PHILADELPHIA

Big Crowds Out to Witness Second Contest of Post Season Series.

Brown and Kling; Coombs and Thomas, Batteries.

PHILLIES TAKE THE SECOND.

(United Press.)

Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—In the second game of the world's championship series between the Chicago Nationals and Philadelphia Americans, this afternoon, Brown pitched for the Cubs with Kling back of the plate. Coombs and Thomas were the Phillies batteries. Sheridan and Rigler umpired the bases and Connelly and O'Day were in the outfield. Otherwise the line up was the same as yesterday.

#### First Inning.

CUBS—Sheppard walked; Schulte hit to Collins, Sheppard out at second; Hoffman walked; Chance singled, filling the bases. Zimmerman flew to center and was out; Schulte scored after the catch; Hoffman took third and Chance got to second; Steinfeld fanned. One run. PHILLIES—Strunk fanned. Lord hit to Steinfeld, and was out at first. Collins singled, then stole second. Baker hit to Brown, and was out at first. No runs.

#### Second Inning.

CUBS—Tinker safe on Davis' muff of Baker's throw. On hit and run play, Kling hit a liner to Collins, who tossed to Davis, doubling Tinker at second. Brown went out, Collins to Davis. No runs.

PHILLIES—Davis flew to Hoffman. Murphy fouled out. Berry was doubled up by Murphy on a rap to Tinker. No runs.

#### Third Inning.

CUBS—Sheppard walked. Schulte sacrificed to Coombs, but Davis muffed the assist. Hoffman flew out to Davis. Chance fanned. Zimmerman flew out to Lord. No runs.

PHILLIES—Thomas hit through Steinfeld. Coombs fanned. Strunk grounded to Brown. Lord hit to Zimmerman, who threw to Tinker, forcing Strunk. Thomas took third. Collins hit over third, scoring Thomas and Lord, Baker out. Two runs.

#### Fourth Inning.

CUBS—Steinfeld flew out to Strunk. Tinker singled and was out stealing. Thomas to Collins. Kling fanned. No runs.

PHILLIES—Davis hit to Tinker, out at first. Murphy fouled out to Chance. Berry singled through short. Thomas singled, Berry taking third. Coombs fanned. No runs.

CUBS—Brown's infield hit was charged an error to Coombs. Sheppard singled. Schulte sacrificed to Davis, both runners moving up. Hoffman walked. Chance flew out to Murphy who doubled Brown at the plate. No runs.

PHILLIES—Strunk fanned. Lord singled. Collins forced Lord at second, Tinker tossing to Zimmerman. Collins stole second. Baker walked. Davis singled, scoring Collins, Baker taking third on throw in, and Davis second. Murphy hit to Tinker, and was out at first. One run.

#### Fifth Inning.

CUBS—Zimmerman walked. Steinfeld lined to Collins, who threw to Davis, doubling Zimmerman. Tinker hit into left crowd for two bases. Kling flew out to Strunk. No runs.

PHILLIES—Berry fanned. Thomas walked. Coombs singled over Zimmerman. Thomas taking third. Strunk fanned. Lord fouled out to Chance. No runs.

CUBS—Brown fanned. Sheppard doubled into right field crowd, his first hit of the series. Schulte fled to Strunk. Hoffman walked. Chance singled. Sheppard scoring. Zimmerman hit to Collins, who tossed to Berry forcing Chance. One run.

PHILLIES—Collins walked. Baker singled. Collins taking third. Davis doubled, scoring Collins. Murphy doubled also, scoring Baker and Davis. Berry sacrificed. Thomas singled. Murphy scoring. Coombs went out to Chance unassisted. Strunk doubled. Thomas scoring. Sheppard muffed Lord's fly, Strunk scoring. Lord out stealing. Six runs.

#### Sixth Inning.

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Philadelphia made six runs in the seventh.

Ritchie went into the box for Chicago in the eighth, which inning resulted in no runs.

#### For Ohio Championship.

Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	3	3	.500
Cleveland	3	3	.500

#### Greater New York Championship.

Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
N. Y. Nationals	2	1	.667
N. Y. Americans	1	2	.333

Score—R H E

CUBS.....2 7 2

PHILLIES.....9 14 4

Miss Carrie Ham, a former Paducah girl, arrived yesterday from the south, and is visiting Miss Little Burdine. Miss Ham has achieved success on the stage as a soloist.